about 280 Tonnes per day of oil and 71,319 Cubic Meter per day of gas from the field.

(c) The entire crude oil produce, about 0.375 MMT per annum, by ONGC from the Karaikal Asset (including the Narimanam field) is sold to the designated refinery, M/s Chennai Petroleum Corporation Ltd., Nagapattinam.

As far as gas is concerned, it is mainly associated gas that is produced in the Narimanam field. It is sour in nature. ONGC has planned to sell the gas for which a tender has been floated.

The remaining gas, about 605 Million Metric Standard Cubic Meter per annuam produced by ONGC from the Karaikal assets is sold to M/s GAIL and a small quantity is supplied to M/s Southern Energy Development Corporation, Karaikal from the Kovikalappal field under direct marketing by ONGC.

Supply of piped gas in Government colonies

2196. SHRI THANGA TAMIL SELVAN: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the areas covered by the piped gas in Government colonies in Delhi;

(b) the areas proposed to be covered by Government for supplying gas through pipes in the current year;

(c) the reasons for not connecting the areas like Laxmibai Nagar and INA Colony in New Delhi;

(d) whether Government have received any representation from the residents/Residents' Welfare Associations for installing the said system; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR): (a) M/s Indraprastha Gas Ltd. (IGL) is supplying Piped Natural Gas (PNG) to households in the NCT of Delhi. Currently, the

pipeline gas services are available in Central and South Delhi, covering the following localities:

Lodhi Colony	Kaka Nagar
Lodhi Complex	Bapa Nagar
Pragati Vihar	Pandara Road
Sarojini Nagar	Pandara Park and
Nauroji Nagar	R K. Puram
Mohammad Pur	Sectors-1,2,3,4,5,7.

(b) The areas planned to be covered by IGL during the current Financial Year are the following:

DIZ Flats Kali Ban Marg & Baba Kharag Singh Marg

Asiad Village Complex

Andrews Ganj Extn.

Chanakyapur

Kidwai Nagar East & West

Netaji Nagar

R.K. Puram Sector-8,9,12,13.

(c) to (e) Representations are received from time to time for providing PNG connections. IGL undertakes to provide piped gas connections in Government Colonies/flats, subject to technical feasibility and advice from CPWD. Accordingly, IGL propose to cover Laxmibai Nagar with pipeline gas service in the financial year 2005-06. In the absence of advice from CPWD, INA Colony has not been included in the plans for the present

Production of crude oil

2197. DR. KARAN SINGH. Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the country is dependent on around 67 per cent crude oil imports and the balance is met by domestic production;

(b) if so, what are the figures of imports of crude and indigenous production during 2003 and six months of 2004 with foreign exchange outgo and national cost of domestic produce;